## Example: Template EPA REGION 8 HEALTH AND SAFETY PLAN

**General Information** Please fill out highlighted areas with site and trip specific information. 1. Project Title: [Insert project title] 2. Locations: [Insert project locations] 3. Description of [Insert Program] inspections will be conducted at [insert description]. Anticipated hazards are Field Activities: discussed below. [Insert details of inspection trip. Insert facilities that will be inspected] 4. Date of Field [Insert date(s)] Activities: 5. Field Personnel: [Insert name] [Insert name] Additional Contact Information: Cell Number: [Insert Cell Number: [Insert number] [Insert names and phone number] EPA cell number: [Insert numbers] number] Field Training Date: [Insert Field Training Date: [Insert date of last field training date of last field training Supervisor: Supervisor: [Insert name] [Insert name] Supervisor Phone #: Supervisor Phone #: Office – [Insert number] Office – [Insert number] Cell – [Insert number] Cell – [Insert number] **Emergency Contact: Emergency Contact:** [Insert name] [Insert name] **Emergency Contact Emergency Contact** number: number: [Insert number] [Insert number] 6. Lodging Lodging: [Insert name and address] Phone: [Insert number] Information Travel by: [Insert mode of transportation] 7. Facilities Contacts [Insert facility name, address, facility contact and number. Also, specify date and time present at facility] 8. Contractors: [Insert name and number] **Emergency Information** 9. Ambulance: 911 Phone: 911 Phone: [Insert 10. Hospital: [Insert name and address of closest 911 hospital] numberl 11. Emergency Unknown at this time. Will depend on initial starting location. Use GPS or attach emergency Route: route map. 12. Fire Phone: [Insert 911 Department: number] [Insert name and address of closest Fire Station]

[Insert name and address of closest Police

Station]

Phone: [Insert

number]

13. Police:

911

14. Poison Control	Phone: 1-800-222-1222			
Center:				
15. Site Emergency		Will follow facility procedures, cell phone will be available		
Notification/Evacuation Method:				
16. Health and Safety Officer:		Jason Nakatsu		
		303-312-6862 (off	ice)	
		619-865-3030 (cel	l)	
17. Radiation Safety Officer (RSO):		Richard Graham		
		303- 312-7080 (office)		
		303- 601-2656 (cell)		
18. Check all known o	or potential hazar	ds:		
Radiation	X Toxics		X Fire/Explosion	Corrosives
O <sub>2</sub> Deficiency	X Noise		X Physical	X Biological
X Dusts	X Heat/Cold Stress			
19. Potential Chemic	cal Hazards:			

## [Insert Potential Hazards]

- 20. Biological Hazards: Wild animals (snakes) and insects (ticks).
- 21. Potential Physical Hazards: Noise, heat stress, slip and fall.
- 22. Specify unusual working conditions/limitations: Respirators will not be needed during the inspection because chemical of concern are expected to be below hazardous levels.

All EPA staff is prohibited from entering any permit required confined space in addition to any area that would present an oxygen deficient or unknown hazard condition.

23. List tasks, potential hazards checked above, and control measures which will be taken, including levels of protection

Task	Hazards	Level of Protection (A, B, C, D) and Control Measures		
Site Inspection	Toxic, Physical	Level D, including hard hat, safety boots, eye protection and hearing protection, Fire retardant clothing, monitors as needed. Will observe facility safety postings such as hearing protection areas and face shield/goggle areas. Will observe safe work practices.		
	Cuts/Punctures	Source: Sharp objects Control Measure: Beware of sharp objects/wear appropriate gloves, hard hat, safety shoes		
	Heat/Cold Stress	Source: Variable temperatures Control Measure: Monitor for heat and cold stress. Provide plenty of fluids and scheduled breaks, jackets and rain gear		
	Noise	Source: Equipment, vehicles, tools Control measures: Hearing protection as needed		
	Slips/Trips/Falls	Source: Uneven terrain, slippery wet surfaces Control measures: Safety shoes, survey walking areas and take precautions		
	Other physical hazards	Control measures: Safety glasses, hard hat, safety shoes, hearing protection, first aid kit.		
Driving	Driving accident	Since two drivers will be in one vehicle, drivers will check in with each other for alertness and will take turns driving. Breaks will be taken at regular intervals. Seat belts will be worn.		
Radiation		Radiation hazards are not expected during the inspection. If radiation issues arise please call Richard Graham, (303) 312-7080 office (303) 601-2656 cell		
General Clause		The above list of hazards and associated control measures shall not be taken as a comprehensive assessment of the hazards associated with this inspection trip. The combination of chemical, physical and biological (not sure if there) hazards present a varying range of potential health hazards, therefore proper planning, and field safety training must be performed and be up to date before the site visit is to occur. All EPA personnel must be alert for symptoms of possible exposures such as unusual smells, itchy, burning or watery eyes, nose and throat, skin irritation in addition to unusual fatigue or malaise. If any symptoms or immediate danger to life and health conditions exist, EPA personnel are to leave the area immediately and call the necessary emergency personnel.		
24. Health Hazard Monitoring Plan:		An H <sub>2</sub> S Monitor will be used at production facilities. Inspectors will follow instructions from any company representative on site if high H <sub>2</sub> S levels are		

	detected.  A respirator will not be used. Instrumentation such as an H2S meter will be used as a primary detection method in addition to distancing from the source.
25. Site Control/Safety Measures:	Facilities may be unmanned during inspections. Inspectors will monitor for any site control or security hazards. (e.g. $H_2S$ at Oil and Gas Facilities)
26. Decontamination Procedures:	All PPE should be on before inspection begins. Equipment should brushed off before leaving site and bagged. Any equipment that came into contact with any chemicals should be washed according to manufactures recommendations. If equipment integrity has been compromised it should be disposed of properly and replaced.
27. Health and Safety Plan Review:	This Health and Safety Plan will be reviewed annually or when any changes to the field activities or site conditions occur.